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In re Application of:	)	Confirmation No.: 7726
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Takashi TANIOKA et al	)	Art Unit: 1715
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Appln. No.: 10/585,878	)	Examiner: Kelly M. Gambetta
I.A. No.: PCT/JP05/006149	)	
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I.A. filed: March 30, 2005	)	
§371 date: July 11, 2006	)	October 19, 2010

For: PROCESSES AND EQUIPMENTS FOR PREPARING F2-CONTAINING GASES,  
AS WELL AS PROCESSES AND EQUIPMENTS FOR MODIFYING THE SURFACES  
OF ARTICLES

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Randolph Building, Mail Stop AF  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed August 19, 2010,  
please amend as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of  
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.